

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Public servants – Registration & Stamps – Allegation of corruption against Sri S.Chandraiah, Sub Registrar (Retired) – Disciplinary Proceedings initiated – Penalty of withholding of full pension and gratuity on permanent basis imposed – Criminal Appeal filed before Hon’ble High Court – Judgment delivered – Final orders – Issued.

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REVENUE (VIG.VI) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.109.

Dated: 21.01.2013.

Read the following:-

1. Judgment of Special Judge for SPE & ACB cases, Vijayawada in C.C.No.18/2000, dated: 26.07.2005.
2. G.O.Rt.No.472, Revenue (Vig.VI) Dept., dated: 10.07.2009.
3. Judgment of the Hon’ble High Court of A.P., Hyderabad in Crl. Appeal No.1245 of 2005, dated: 10.09.2009.
4. Representation of Sri S.Chandraiah, dated: 09.12.2009.

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ORDER:

Sri S.Chandraiah, Sub Registrar (Retired) was punished with a penalty of withholding 100% pension and gratuity permanently (reference 2nd read above), as he was convicted by the Special Judge for SPE & ACB Cases, Vijayawada in C.C.No.18/2000, on 26.07.2005; on the allegation that he registered a sale agreement of vacant site irregularly.

2. The individual filed Criminal Appeal No.1245 of 2005 before the Hon’ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh against his conviction. The Hon’ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh, allowed the criminal appeal, and set aside the orders of Special Judge for SPE & ACB Cases, Vijayawada (reference 3rd read above).

3. The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, has reported that no grounds for filing SLP against the above, orders of High Court of Andhra Pradesh and requested to take further action in the matter. In pursuant that the applicant filed a representation (reference 4th read above) before the Government with a request to restore payment of pension and gratuity, which are withheld by the Government.

4. Government after examination of the matter and keeping in view the judgment of the Hon’ble High Court have considered the request of the individual and decided to withdraw the earlier orders. Accordingly the orders issued in G.O.Rt.No.924, Revenue (Vig.VI) Department, dated 10.07.2009 wherein (in the reference 2nd read above) 100% pension and gratuity of Sri S.Chandraiah were withheld are hereby withdrawn.

5. The Commissioner and Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, A.P., Hyderabad is therefore requested to take necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**VINOD K.AGRAWAL
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

The Individual. (through the C&IG, R&S, Hyderabad)

The Commissioner and Inspector General,
Registration & Stamps, A.P., Hyderabad.

Copy to:

1. The Deputy Inspector General,
Registration & Stamps, Swarnaprabha Complex, Arundalpet, Guntur.
2. The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.
3. The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad.
4. CC.

// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER